HB 452 -- Inactive Licenses for Architects

Sponsor: Portwood

This bill establishes inactive licenses for architects. Licensed architects may make application for an inactive license with the State Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Professional Land Surveyors, and Landscape Architects. Holders of inactive licenses may not practice architecture, but they may continue to hold themselves out as being an architect. Inactive licensees who fail to maintain a current license in any state for more than five years prior to requesting licensure reinstatement must take a licensing examination deemed appropriate by the board.

The bill also makes technical changes to update the statutes in regard to landscape architects.